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**Ex Parte**

Ms. Marlene H. Dortch  
Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 12th Street, SW  
Washington, DC 20554

Re: Updating the Intercarrier Compensation Regime to Eliminate Access Arbitrage,  
WC Docket No. 18-155

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On May 16, 2019, on behalf of CenturyLink, I met with Nirali Patel, Wireline Advisor to Chairman Pai, to discuss CenturyLink's April 30, 2019 submission in this proceeding.<sup>1</sup> The discussion was consistent with that filing.

Please contact me if you have any questions regarding this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

Joseph C. Cavender

cc: Nirali Patel

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<sup>1</sup> Letter from Joseph C. Cavender, CenturyLink, to Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary, FCC, WC Docket No. 18-155 (filed Apr. 30, 2019). A copy of the filing was provided to Ms. Patel.